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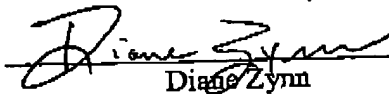
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In re application of:

Yoshiro IWASA

Serial No: 09/654,550

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For: SEMICONDUCTOR DEVICE INCLUDING A LIGHT-
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TOTAL CLAIMS FEE	6	-	20	0	LG=\$18 SM=\$9	\$ 0
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FIRST PRESENTATION OF MULTIPLE DEPENDENT CLAIMS					LARGE ENTITY FEE = \$280 SMALL ENTITY FEE = \$140	\$ 0
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In response to the Office Action dated March 18, 2003, please amend the

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above-referenced application as follows:

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